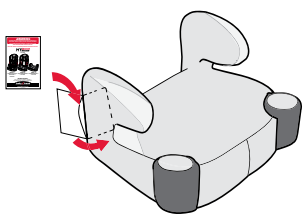

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⚠WARNING

Carefully read and understand all instructions and warnings in this manual. Failure to properly use this Booster Seat increases the risk of SERIOUS INJURY or DEATH in a sudden stop or crash.

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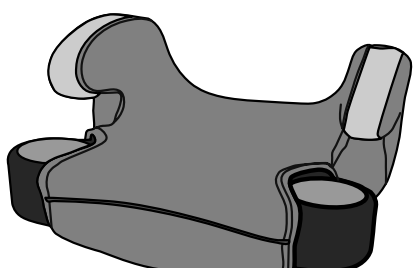

For use with children:
- At least 4 years old
- Between 40 and 100 lbs (18 and 45 kg)
- Between 42” and 57” Tall (107 and 145 cm)

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1.0 General Warnings and Information

WARNING TO PARENTS AND CAREGIVERS

Proper use is required! Even if using this car seat seems easy to figure out, it is very IMPORTANT TO FOLLOW THE BOOSTER SEAT AND VEHICLE OWNER'S MANUALS!

- Failure to follow these instructions and Booster Seat labels can result in a child striking the vehicle's interior during a sudden stop or crash.
  - Your child's safety depends on proper installation and use of this Booster Seat. Read and understand all information in this owner's manual and product labels before using this Booster Seat.
  - Improper use of the Booster Seat can result in serious injury or death from a sudden stop or crash.

The ultimate safety of your child depends on the proper and secure installation of the Booster Seat in your vehicle. Proper installation requires that you read and understand this entire manual and your vehicle's owner's manual before placing your child in the seat. **DO NOT** allow others to install or use this Booster Seat unless they completely understand its proper installation and use.

Your child's safety depends on:

1. Choosing the best location within your vehicle for installing the Booster Seat. Seating positions with frontal Air Bags must be avoided if possible.
2. Proper installation.
   a. Requires proper routing and adjusting fit of vehicle lap/shoulder belt.
   b. Always properly position the vehicle belts on your child and snugly adjust the vehicle belts around child.

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NOTE: Not all vehicle seat belts or vehicle seats can be used with this Booster Seat.

3. Proper belt adjustment.
   - Properly position belt on child.
   - Snugly adjust belts around child.

No Booster Seat seat can guarantee protection from injury in every situation, but proper use helps reduce the risk of serious injury or death.

NEED HELP?

Contact Baby Trend Customer Service Department at 1-800-328-7363 with any questions concerning your car seat. Please have the model number and manufactured in (date) on your Booster Seat available when calling or contact one of the following resources:

- Call 1-866-SEAT CHECK (1-866-732-8243).
- Log onto www.nhtsa.gov
  - For a Booster Seat inspection station select “Locate a Child Safety Seat Inspection Station By State or Zip Code”.
  - To locate a certified “Child Passenger Safety” Technician in your area, select tab “Vehicles & Equipment”, select topic “Child Seats” and then select link “Child Passenger Safety Contact Locator” or “Child Passenger Safety Seat Inspection Station Locator”.
- Log onto www.seatcheck.org.

2.0 ⚠ WARNINGS

Failure to follow these instructions and Booster Seat labels can result in child striking the vehicle’s interior during a sudden stop or crash.

- **Use this Booster Seat only with children who weigh between 40 and 100 lbs. (18 and 45 kg.) and whose height is between 42 and 57 in. (107 and 145 cm) and who are capable of sitting up right unassisted.**
- **Child must be at least 4 years old and 40 lbs. (18 kg) to use this Booster Seat.**
- **Proper installation of the Booster Seat in your vehicle and proper securing of your child in the Booster Seat are essential to ensure the safety of your child. Your child can be injured in a sudden stop or crash if not properly secured in the Booster Seat or if the Booster Seat is not properly installed in the vehicle.**
- **Use this Booster Seat forward-facing only with child facing the front of the vehicle.**
- **Never use this Booster Seat in a vehicle seating location that has an Active Frontal Air Bag unless recommended in the vehicle owner’s manual. If your vehicle is equipped with a front passenger side Active Air Bag, please refer to the vehicle’s owner’s manual for additional information about Active Air Bags and child safety seat installation.**

2.0 ⚠ WARNINGS

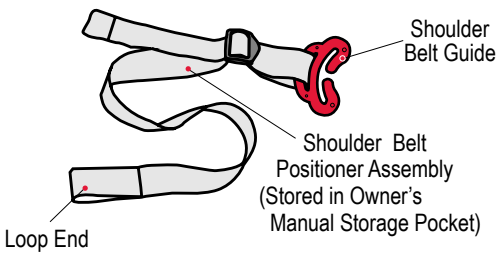
- Booster Use:
  - Use only with children that are 4 years old and weigh at least 40 lbs (18 kg).
  - Snugly adjust the vehicle's lap/shoulder belt around child.
  - Properly position the vehicle's lap/shoulder belt on child. Lap belt is low on child's hips and contacting thighs and shoulder belt is centered on shoulder.
  - Use only the vehicle's lap/shoulder belt system to restrain a child.
  - Never use only a lap belt to secure child in the Booster Seat.
  - Do not use accessories or parts other than those provided by Baby Trend, Inc. for this special model. Use of accessories or parts from other manufacturers, could alter the performance and safety of the Booster Seat.
- Never leave your child unattended, even for a moment.
- Never put a Booster Seat in a vehicle front seat location unless specifically recommended in vehicle owner's manual.
- This Booster Seat is designed and tested to accommodate a child of a specific range of WEIGHT and HEIGHT. Using the Car Seat for a child whose weight or height is outside of these limits will increase the risk of death or serious injury in the event of a crash (see Section 5.0 of this manual for WEIGHT and HEIGHT limits for this car seat).
- Not all vehicle seat belts or seating locations can be used with this Booster Seat. Read vehicle owner's manual and "Vehicle Seat Belts" section in this manual.

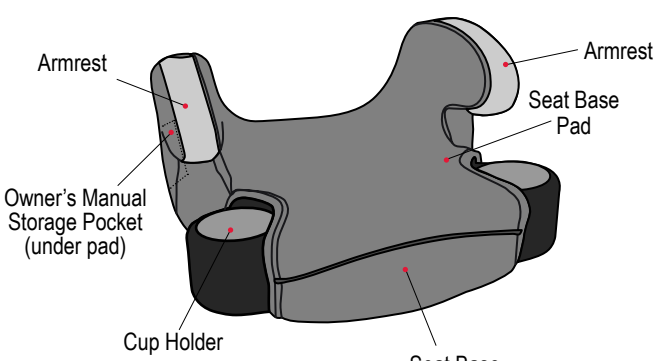
2.0 ⚠ WARNINGS

- Some vehicles do not have any safe location for this Booster Seat to be installed. In addition, many vehicles do not have seat belt systems that will adequately hold this Booster Seat in the required position. Please refer to both this manual and your vehicle owner's manual for complete information for proper, safe installation of this Booster Seat.
- This Booster Seat is certified for use in motor vehicles. DO NOT use this Booster Seat in the home, on boats, on aircraft or other non-certified applications.
- The Booster Seat and vehicle seat belt hardware may become very hot if left in direct sunlight. Your child may suffer burns from hot components. Always check the Booster Seat and vehicle seat belt hardware for hot surfaces that may come into contact with your child before placing your child in the Booster Seat. We suggest that you cover the Booster Seat with a blanket or towel if it will be subject to direct sunlight while you are away from the vehicle.
- This Booster Seat is constructed of plastic that can deform over time if left with any object in the seat while stored. DO NOT leave heavy objects in the Booster Seat while not in use. DO NOT store the seat in the trunk of your car with heavy objects on it or with pressure on the Seat from the trunk lid.
- Discontinue use of the Booster Seat after 10 years from the date of manufacture printed on the label on the bottom of the Seat Base.
- DO NOT use Booster Seat if it has been in a crash, it must be replaced. A crash can cause unseen damage and using it again could result in serious injury or death.
- DO NOT use Booster Seat if it is damaged or is missing parts.

3.0 Features and Benefits

3.1 Booster Seat





4.0 Preparing Car Seat for Use

The steps to prepare the Booster Seat for use with your child are outlined below and described in detail in this owner's manual.

4.1 Check Child's Weight and Height

Check that your child's weight is between "40 - 100 lbs." (18 to 45 kg) and your child meets all other requirements for use in "Weight and Height Recommendations" section.

4.2 Assemble Shoulder Belt Positioner Assembly.

See "Assembly of Vehicle Shoulder Belt Positioner" Section.

4.3 Select a Vehicle Seating Location to Install the Booster Seat

- Select a vehicle seating location with a lap/shoulder belt.
- Never use a vehicle seating location with only a lap belt.

4.0 Preparing Car Seat for Use

4.4 Proper Use Check List

Booster Car Seat

- √ Child is at least 4 years old and 40 lbs. (18kg).
- √ Lap and shoulder belts are snugly adjusted around child.
- √ Lap belt is low and flat on hips and contacting thighs.
- √ Shoulder belt is centered on shoulder.
- √ Child is sitting up, not slouching down under vehicle lap belt.
- √ Shoulder belt is not under arm or behind back of child.
- √ Top of child's ears are below top of vehicle seat back or vehicle headrest.

5.0 Weight and Height Recommendations

⚠WARNING!

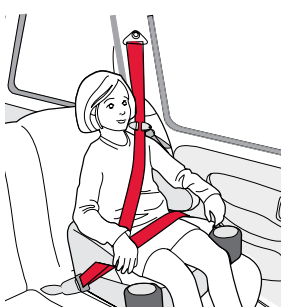
DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

- **FAILURE TO USE THIS BOOSTER SEAT WITH A CHILD OF APPROPRIATE AGE AND SIZE MAY INCREASE THE RISK OF SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH.**

5.1 BOOSTER SEAT USE

Child MUST meet all of the following requirements to use the Booster Seat:

- Child's weight is between 40 and 100 lbs. (18 and 45 kg) **and**
- Child's height is between 42 and 57 in. (107 and 145 cm) **and**
- Top of child's ears must be below top of vehicle seat back or vehicle headrest **and**
- Child must be at least 4 years of age.



5.0 Weight and Height Recommendations

5.1 BOOSTER SEAT USE (CONTINUED)

Baby Trend and the American Academy of Pediatrics recommend using a Booster Seat until the child reaches a standing height of 57 in. (145 cm) before changing to secure the child with a vehicle seat belt, without a booster seat.

⚠WARNING!

DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

- **TO AVOID INJURIES FROM WHIPLASH, TOP OF CHILD'S EARS MUST BE BELOW TOP EDGE OF VEHICLE SEAT BACK OR VEHICLE HEADREST.**

6.0 Selecting a Vehicle Seating Location

⚠WARNING!

- **There are many different types of vehicles, vehicle seat belt systems, or other occupant restraint systems in use today. Accordingly, this manual can only give guidelines for proper installation in your vehicle. In addition to this manual, you must also read and understand the vehicle owner's manual, which should address use of child restraints. If your vehicle owner's manual does not address the installation of child restraints, please contact your local vehicle dealer, or the vehicle's manufacturer to obtain this information before using this Booster Seat.**

Not every seating location within a vehicle may be safe for the installation of this Booster Seat. In fact, some vehicles have no seating location that is safe for the installation of a Booster Seat. Improper placement of this Booster Seat within a vehicle will increase the risk of death or serious injury in a sudden stop or crash. See "Vehicle Seat Belts" section for more information on vehicle seat belts.

Please follow the instructions in this manual and in your vehicle owner's manual carefully to ensure proper location and installation of this Booster Seat. If you are uncertain about the proper location of the Booster Seat within the vehicle, contact your vehicle manufacturer directly or through their dealer before using this seat. You are also invited to call Baby Trend at 1-800-328-7363 for additional information or assistance.

6.0 Selecting a Vehicle Seating Location

6.1 Overall Considerations for Selecting A Seating Loacation

- Please review your vehicle owner's manual to determine the best location for Booster Seat use, any specific instructions for Booster Seat installation, or to determine if any locations are unsafe for Booster Seat installation. If you do not have the vehicle owner's manual or the owner's manual does not address Booster Seat installation, please contact the vehicle manufacturer to obtain this information before using the Booster Seat.
- Use rear vehicle seating position whenever possible. According to accident statistics, children are safer when properly restrained in rear vehicle seating positions, rather than front seating positions. Whenever possible, this Booster Seat should be secured in the rear center, seating position. The rear center position sometimes is equipped with a vehicle lap belt only and **CANNOT** be used with this Booster Seat.

- Only use a vehicle front seating location if specifically allowed in vehicle owner's manual and following all instructions in the vehicle owner's manual.

6.0 Selecting a Vehicle Seating Location

6.2 Seating Locations to Avoid

DO NOT use this Booster Seat in the following seating locations.

- Never use this Booster Seat in a vehicle seating location that has an Active Frontal Air Bag unless recommended in the vehicle owner's manual. If your vehicle is equipped with a front passenger Air Bag, please refer to the vehicle's owner's manual for additional information about Air Bags and child safety seat installation.

- DO NOT use this Booster Seat in any vehicle seat that faces to the rear of the vehicle.

- DO NOT use this Booster Seat in any vehicle seat that faces to the side of the vehicle.

- DO NOT use the Booster Seat in a vehicle seating location that has a vehicle seat back that does not lock in position. A vehicle seat back that folds forward must lock to prevent it from moving forward in a sudden stop or crash.

7.0 Booster Seat Installation and Use

7.1 Booster Seat Installation and Use

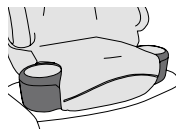
WARNING!

DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

- **If child will not keep vehicle shoulder belt properly positioned on shoulder, DO NOT use this Booster Seat. Use a different child restraint system.**
- **Do not allow child to slide down in Booster Seat which could position vehicle lap belt across child's abdomen and shoulder belt over neck or face.**
- **Discontinue use of the Backless Booster Car Seat when the top of the child's ears are above top of the vehicle seat back or vehicle headrest.**
- **Securely belt this Booster Seat in vehicle, even when not occupied. An unsecured car seat can injure other occupants in a crash.**
- **DO NOT use accessories or parts other than those provided by Baby Trend, Inc. Use of accessories or parts from other manufacturers could alter the performance and safety of the Booster Seat.**

7.0 Booster Seat Installation and Use

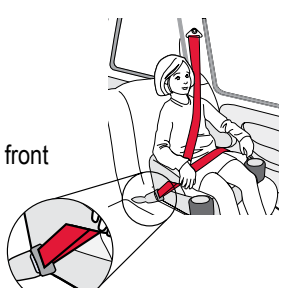
1. Place the Booster Seat on the vehicle seat in a seating location equiped with a vehicle Lap/Shoulder belt and centered between the Lap/Shoulder belt anchorages (see "Selecting a Vehicle Seating Locations" section).



WARNING!

- **Do not place the Booster Seat in a seating position that has only a vehicle lap belt.**

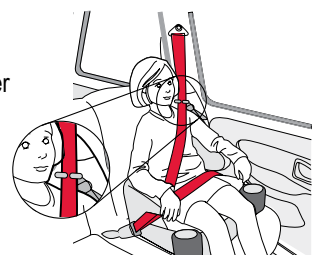
2. If the vehicle seat back is adjustable, adjust into the upright position or the position specified in the vehicle owner's manual for use with a car seat.
3. Place child in Booster Car Seat with child's back and rump contacting seating surfaces.
4. Pull the vehicle lap/shoulder belt across front of child and buckle vehicle seat belt.
   - Vehicle shoulder belt on buckle side must be under armrest.



7.0 Booster Seat Installation and Use

5. Snugly adjust the vehicle's lap/shoulder belt around your child according to the instructions in the vehicle owner's manual.

6. Place vehicle shoulder belt in Vehicle Shoulder Belt Positioner and adjust Shoulder Belt Positioner to position shoulder belt onto child's shoulder. See "Use and Adjustment of Shoulder Belt Positioner" section.



- Thread harness strap through Vehicle Shoulder Strap Positioner as shown.
- Pull up or down on the webbing adjuster until the vehicle shoulder belt is centered over the child's shoulder.
- Check to be sure vehicle shoulder belt is properly positioned over shoulder and snug against child.

NOTE: Some vehicle shoulder belts with emergency locking retractors allow child to pull belt out and change position of belt. Use of shoulder belt positioner helps maintain proper position of shoulder belt.

7.0 Booster Seat Installation and Use

7. Check fit of the vehicle seat belts on child:
   - Vehicle seat belt must be snugly adjusted on child.
   - Vehicle lap belt must be low on hips contacting the thighs.
   - Vehicle shoulder belt must contact the chest and be centered on the shoulder. Use the shoulder belt positioner to adjust the position of the vehicle shoulder belt.
   - **DO NOT** place vehicle shoulder belt under child's arm or behind child.

⚠WARNING!

- **Discontinue use of Booster Seat when top of child's ears are above top edge of vehicle head rest and vehicle seat back.**

To remove your child:

1. Unbuckle vehicle seat belt and remove your child.

8.1 Check that the Vehicle Seat Belt is Safe to Use

WARNING!

Carefully analyze the operation of the vehicle seat belts before using the Booster Seat. Carefully read this section on vehicle seat belt systems, review your vehicle owner's manual in detail, and heed any and all warning labels on your vehicle's seat belt. Your vehicle may require a modification or special seat belt in order to be safely used with this Booster Seat. Please see your vehicle dealer for this service.

Safe Seat Belt Systems:

The following vehicle seat belt systems can be used with the Booster Seat provided that all of the other requirements prescribed in these instructions, including seat position, and all instructions provided by your vehicle's owner's manual are followed.

Combination lap/shoulder belt with locking latch plate

- A vehicle lap/shoulder combination seat belt with a latch plate that locks the lap belt into position is suitable for use with the Booster Seat. Once this type of seat belt is fastened, the latch plate prevents the lap belt from loosening.

Combination lap/shoulder belt with sliding latch plate

- A vehicle lap/shoulder combination seat belt system with a latch plate that can slide freely along the belt is suitable for use with the Booster Seat.

8.2 Unsafe Seat Belt Systems:

DO NOT use the following types of vehicle seat belt systems with the Booster Seat. These vehicle seat belt systems will not hold the Booster Seat securely in place at all times. The addition of a locking clip will not make these vehicle seat belt systems safe to use.

Note: Latch can be used in place of the following unsafe vehicle seat belt systems if your vehicle is equipped with latch anchorage system.

Lap Belts (manually Adjusted)

- A vehicle lap belt that is manually adjusted and will remain tight while the vehicle is in motion is suitable for use with the Booster Seat. Pulling the belt through the buckle after the buckle is fastened tightens this type of seat belt. The vehicle center rear seat belt is most often this type of vehicle seat belt.

Lap Belts with Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR)

- A vehicle lap belt that stays tightly adjusted around the car seat and cannot be lengthened once it is fastened is suitable for use with the Booster Seat. These seat belts often have an automatic locking retractor that will allow the belt to be lengthened but once fastened, must be unbuckled and allowed to retract fully before allowing the belt to be lengthened again.

Lap Belt With Emergency Locking Retractor (ELR):

DO NOT use a vehicle lap belt that stays loose or does not stay tightly adjusted after installed and locks only in a crash or sudden stop. These lap belts utilize an Emergency Locking Retractor and are often found in combination with motorized shoulder belts. Because these belts will allow the Booster Seat to move about on the vehicle seat, the chance of the Booster Seat being out of the proper position in a crash is very high. Accordingly, **DO NOT** use the Booster Seat with this type of Vehicle Seat Belt system. Please see your vehicle's dealer or owner's manual for information on converting this vehicle seat belt system to one that is acceptable for use with a Booster Seat.

Combination Lap/Shoulder Belt With Retractor:

DO NOT use a vehicle lap/shoulder belt system if the lap belt and shoulder belt each have retractors at one end. This type of vehicle seat belt system will **NOT** adequately restrain the Booster Seat.

Passive Restraint - Lap or Shoulder Belt Mounted on Door:

DO NOT use a vehicle seat belt that is connected to the vehicle door in any way. These types of seat belts are designed to automatically surround the occupant when the door is closed. This type of vehicle seat belt will **NOT** adequately restrain the Booster Seat.

Lap Belts Located Forward of Seat Crease:

DO NOT use a vehicle seat belt that is anchored on the vehicle seat more than 2 inches forward of the crease between the seat bottom and the seat back. This type of vehicle seat belt anchors the Booster Seat too far forward and the Booster Seat will **NOT** be safely restrained in the vehicle.

8.0 Vehicle Seat Belts

Passive Restraint - Lap Belt with Motorized Shoulder Belt:

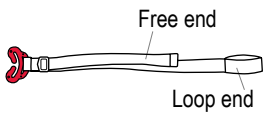
DO NOT use a vehicle shoulder belt that moves along a track. These systems typically move to surround the occupant when the door is closed. This type of vehicle belt system will **NOT** adequately restrain the Booster Seat.

If you have any of the above vehicle seat belt systems, **DO NOT** use it to secure the Booster Seat in the vehicle. Look in the vehicle for a location that has a more suitable vehicle seat belt system as described in the "Vehicle seat belt Systems that are Adequate for installation of Booster Seat" section. You may also contact your vehicle's manufacturer to inquire about installing a seat belt system that is adequate to restrain a Booster Seat.

9.0 Operation and Adjustments

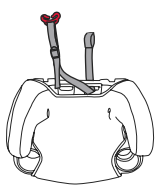
9.1 Assembly of Vehicle Shoulder Belt Positioner:

• Attaching the Shoulder Belt Positioner Assembly to Booster Base:

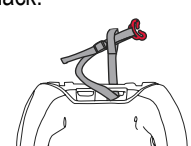


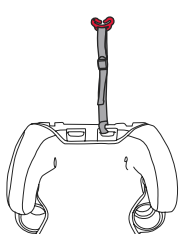
- Lay Shoulder Belt Positioner out on flat surface with free end on top.

- Slide loop end down through one of the slots at the back edge of the seat base.



- Thread the Shoulder Belt Guide and free end of the Shoulder Belt Positioner through the loop on the loop end and pull to elimiate any slack.

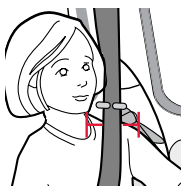




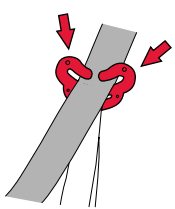
Note: The Shoulder Belt Guide should be positioned so that the free end of the Shoulder Belt Positioner faces the front seat.

9.2 Use and Adjustment of Shoulder Belt Positioner

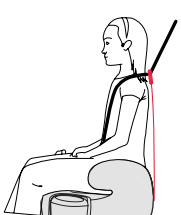
Use the Shoulder Belt Guide Clip to center the vehicle shoulder belt on the child's shoulder. Shoulder belt MUST be centered on child's shoulder as shown.

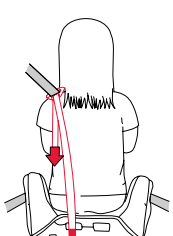


- Insert the vehicle shoulder belt into both sides of the Shoulder Belt Guide.



- Pull the free end of the strap down to tighten the clip against the child's shoulder and bring the shoulder belt into the proper position.





10.1 Certifications

This Booster Seat conforms to all Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards for use in motor vehicles. See use below:

This restraint is **NOT** certified for use in aircraft.

11.0 Cleaning and Maintenance

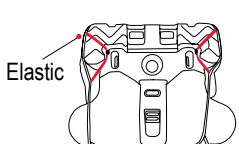
The hard surfaces of the Booster Seat (plastic components), may be cleaned by wiping with a solution of water with mild soap. DO NOT use bleach as it may weaken plastic components. Dry all surfaces with a clean towel.

Care and Cleaning Seat, For Seat Pad:

- For care and maintenance, read and follow instructions on fabric tags.

To Remove Seat Base Pad:

- Unhook elastic on rear corner of pad from plastic pin. Repeat on opposite side.
- Slide the seat base pad armrest covers forward and off armrests. Slide entire seat pad forward, pulling elastic bands off from under cup holders and off the front of the Car Seat.



- Reverse above steps to replace base pad.

WARNING!

- **DO NOT use Booster Seat without Seat Pad**

12.0 Replacement Parts

If you need help or replacement parts, please call our Customer Service Department at 1-800-328-7363 between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:30 pm, Pacific Standard Time, Monday through Friday or visit us online at www.babytrend.com.

13.0 How to Register Your Booster Seat

Please complete the following information. The model number and manufactured in (date) can be found on a label on the bottom of the child restraint.

Model Number : _____

Manufactured in (date) : _____

Purchase Date : _____

Please fill out the prepaid registration post card attached to the safety harness and mail it today.

Child restraints could be recalled for safety reasons. You must register this restraint to be reached in a recall. Send your name, address, email address if available, and the restraint's model number and manufacturing date to: **Baby Trend, Inc., 1607 S. Campus Avenue, Ontario, CA 91761** or call **1-800-328-7363** or register online at: **http://www.babytrend.com/registration.html**.
For Recall information: Contact the **U.S. Government's Vehicle Safety Hotline** at: **1-888-327-4236** (TTY: 1-800-424-9153), or go to http://www.NHTSA.gov.

If You Need Help
Please contact our Customer Service Department with any questions concerning your child restraint. When you contact us, please have the model and manufactured in (date) ready. These numbers can be found on a white label located on the bottom of the child restraint.

USA Toll Free: **1-800-328-7363**
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (PST) Monday - Friday
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